

SATURDAY APRIL 18, 1998

SENTENCE SERMONS.

Folly congeals faith.

Character is controlled will.

Silence will end almost any quar-

Faith finds its fullness in friend-

The rest of religion is for the weary, not the lazy.

A man's age depends on the ideals he still cherishes.

Men tend to approximate to their own expectations.

Things readily believed are not often really believed.

of the higher life. Your foes will not fear you as long as you fret over them.

Living for others is an imperative

He who gives to be seen usually has

much he wants to hide. Lying usually is a plan of hiding one

blemish with a bigger one. He who follows duty ever may find

danger often, but defeat never. It is better to give without think-

ing than to think without giving. When the church is only a place

of rest it never is a place of refresh-

He who does not look forward with -Chicago Tribune.

SIS HOPKINS' SAYINGS.

No one ever wrote a good play-or

Many a war cloud is just missed, by thunder.

Pa says that many a well-rounded phrase is not on the level.

Silence may be golden, but it is more often an indication of gilt.

Some men are "pinched for money," while others have it coaxed out of

In the matter of courtship a man doesn't have to be a tailor to press his of any one.

Pa says would may bring hanniness but it gathers a lot of smiling faces,

A man's table manners are like bread. All depends upon the raisin' he has had.

With so little execution in 'em, it is some wonder that more financial didn't know she was pretty?

Ma says a great city is a place where few people are acquainted with each other-where there is plenty of milk, but no cows.-Rose Melville, in St. Louis Republic.

REPORTED FROM THE OFFICE.

The waste basket is the office bully; it is always ready for a scrap.

The Motter is frequently blue, but their closels. when employed it finds its work ab-

The eraser is keen at its work, yet it never does so well as when it has an edge on.

The stamps are on the square and always stick closely to whatever the boss puts them on

The pencil is a bit of a stick, has many dull moments, but is all write when kept to the point.

The ink is often disturbed and looks black. It is not very sociable, but \$6,500,000. drops in on the ledger occasionally.

The mucilage is sort o' stuck up; altogether different from the calendar, which is much prettier and is always ready to give you a date.

The pen is kept up to the scratch. No wonder it is soon worn out, for it is hard pushed during office hours and

kept on the rack all the rest of the time.-Boston Transcript.

FROM THE PENCIL'S POINT.

Talent is one thing; tact is every thing.

How eloquent the silent lady on a silver dollar is! The girl who looks good isn't neces-

sarily good looking. Some people make a specialty of

believing the impossible. Once in awhile an actress makes

good for her press agent. If men were less stupld women

would have to be a lot more clever. Women have no respect for men who listen to everything they say.

When misery is at hand there isn't nuch pleasure in recalling former

All the chivalry in a man's nature evaporates when he meets a short- sister. naired woman

HATTIE WILLIAMS' EPIGRAMS.

Some one (we suspect her brother) has accredited Hattle Williams with the appended epigrams:

and mother. Art-A chaser for the weather in

Work-A disease, neither infectious nor contagious.

conversation.

The stage-A place of illusionsand a cure for them.

Contract-One in the hand is worth two promises to write.

Marriage-A dilapidated castle haunted by two spooks-divorce and

Success-A mystery to your enemies and a disappointment to your

Stage door Johnnies-A rebuke to man's vanity and dispersers of ill gotten gain.

Audiences-Collections of human be-

ings with a queer habit of expecting their money's worth.

Chorus girl-The worst sufferer from man's inhumanity to man and of the star's eavy of everybody.

DYSPEPTIC PHILOSOPHY.

The best way to get a girl to marry you is to try not to.

A little push is often more lasting than a strong pull.

The fellow who has too much te

It is perhaps better to crack a smile than to burst into laughter.

Opportunities generally grow where it is most dangerous to look for them.

A Sunday dinner demonstrates that reverence will look back with regret. the better the day the better the feed. The only way you could find the

A woman is a paradox. It is when WOMAN'S MOODS AND TENSES.

she is fair that she takes the men by We only know there is plenty of

com at the top from those who have been there and fallen off. When a man admits that he has made a fool of himself he can't under-

stand why the rest of the world does n't share his astonishment. JUST THOUGHTS.

Of course you never took advantage

It isn't easy to fool the man who

The harder a man works the harder | we can do.

An easy-going man is apt to make the flesh is, and how easy it is to

Did you ever see a pretty girl who

The woman who hesitates usually has an impediment in her speech,

How some women do enjoy taking a whack at some other woman's rep-

inventing excuses to keep from going have corned beef for dinner.

How many times have you won out er man's game?

CANADIAN ENTERPRISE.

amount to \$165,000,000, against only the courting. \$78,000,000 from Great Britain.

than \$100,000,000. In the first seven old. So can the furniture faker's litmonths the customs receipts increased, the boy.—Los Angeles Times.

Mr. Thompson, Canadian member of parliament for Yukon, declares that within five years the Klondike gold most distinctly feel that we have output will reach \$20,000,000 a year rights. as a result of the operations of the big dredging companies.

The annual report of the Canadian been thrown away. department of trade and commerce shows the total grain crops for the season of 1906 to be more than 415, er respects never think of keeping 000,000 bushels, of which 125,000,000 their opinions to themselves. bushels were wheat and 202,000,000 bushels oats.

MULBERRIES.

Usefulness is the secret of life's happiness.

One thing well done is worth many things only begun.

The fruit of after awhile comes from the seed that is sown to-day.

Each day has its own wordk. We have only to do just what belongs to

REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR. A pleasant thought about winter is that spring is coming.

Being in love is being not quite insane enough to go into an asylum.

The closer a girl can snuggle up to you the surer she is not to be your

You can always forgive an ancestor how he got his money when it comes

A small boy's idea of hell has something to do with bathtube and scrubbing brushes. One-night stand-A boost for home

There's a heap of fun in just letting other people spend their money trying to buy it.

An honest man gets so puffed up about it he might be more agreeable if he stole something.

A man can save a lot of money by having so many bad habits he can't afford to get married.

A man thinks he has character when somebody tries to borrow a dol-

lar and he lends him only a half. A coquettish girl has a way of being able to see a man when he is around a corner and of not being able to see him when he is right in front of her.-New York Press.

SUNFLOWER PHILOSOPHY.

It is surprising how long a thing will live after it is on its last legs.

Unfortunately there is no means of vaccinating against "leve at first

A woman has more confidence in her doctor than a man has in his re

Perhaps you are like a new country; Haven't developed your natural

A man should quit amateur singing after 30. A woman may keep it up a little longer, but not much. A man of 40 has spent at least five

years of his life listening to the stories of other people's woes. You have only to say that a woman is pretty to bear some one in the

erowd say: "Yes, but she hasn't much

A very jealous woman will often say: "I have not a jealous bone in my body," A woman who is not jealou brains of some people would be with never says anything about it.-Atchi-

son (Kan.) Globe,

Married life is no place for hom

truths-it is a field for diplomacy. The only thing that the self-made man cannot achieve is to make a gentleman of himself.

If we never married, the most of us would never know how many faults we possessed. Women put enough energy into em-

of the world if it were profitably em-Humility is an admirable virtue to live with, but it achieves no trium

broidering doilies to turn the wheels

We can only do as much as we think A woman never knows how weak

yield to temptation, until she goes to a millinery opening. It is the tragedy of life that the

tighter we hold love, the more frantic it is to get away from us, and the easier it slips between our fingers .--Dorothy Dix, in Chicago American.

It is not necessary, because your The hardest work some men do is guest of honor is a chiropodist, to

The average girl weds, not because Once in a great while you meet be is good enough for her, but because women who beast of the skeletons in he is too good for any other girl to get.

The small boy, after a wash, doesn't when invited to go up against anoth- look in the glass to see if he is clean. He looks at the towel to see if it is

Manayunk's laziest man says he will Imports into Canada in 1907 (esti. marry no one but a widow, as he will mated) from the United States will then be saved the trouble of doing

The furniture faker can take a Canada's government revenue from brand new piece of furniture and all sources this year will be more make it look as if it was 260 years

CONTRASTS.

It is when we have wrongs that we

Several large fortunes have been made by picking up money that has Some people who are selfish in oth-

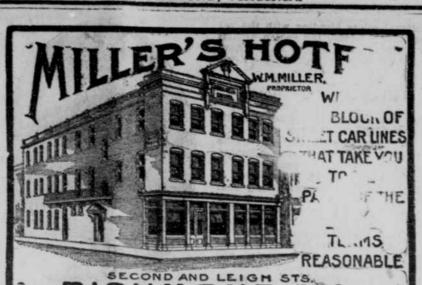
No man feels more keenly the exactions of the railroads than the man who has forgotten his pass.-Lippin-

Some People. Some people would never get men tioned at all if they were not talked about behind their backs.

A LONG-FELT WANT.

Able Editor-Want a position, eh? Do you understand the tariff question? Applicant-Um-to tell the truth, I don't know anything about the tariff. "Are you familiar with international

"No, I can't say that I am." ist in your flying machine?" "Have you followed up the various



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"I-I never took any interest in such

"Young man, take that desk there, I shouldn't wonder if you could make a to read."-N. Y. Weekly.

HIS ONLY ASSET.



Weary Lancelot-At the age of 15 I was left an orphan, guv'nor! Crusty Old Gent-Well, and what did you do with it?-Chips.

My hands are such peculiar things
I'm really glad I own 'em;
They feed my face, they comb my hair,
But what is sad, they're fastened

I cannot even loan 'em. My ears are great, large loppy things That stick out sideways from my head,
And when it's cold they get quite friz.
I like 'em, though the trouble is
They interfere when I'm in bed.

Grotesque. He conceived a grotesque whim for

could go. Friends warned him, but he persisted. At the end of a month he began to show signs of a nervous breakdown.

"Poor fellow!" sighed everybody, in speaking of him. Yet it was his own fatuousness which had been his undoing.-Puck.

In six months he was taken to a

Boy's Idea of Baby. "Pop!" "Yes, my son." "Did the stork bring that new baby

of ours?"

"Yes, my boy."

"Guess he was mighty glad to get rid of it, it cries so much!-Yonkers Statesman.

Possibilities of Profit.

"You couldn't interest that capital-

Needless Reminder. "You must not think that the mere

Defective Eyesight. "I fell in love at first sight," said the paper that sensible people would like New York girl. "I don't suppose any of you Boston girls ever do that? "No," replied the girl from the

Hub. "Most of us Boston girls wear

Already Informed. "Are you one of those mean-spirited men who ask their wives what they to with the money they receive? "Certainly not," answered Mr. Meekton. "I don't have to ask my wife She plays bridge whist."-Washington

Didn't Look It. Mrs. Brindle-Now, Mary, I want you to be careful. This is some very

old table linen-been in the family for over 200 years, and-Mary-Ah, sure ma'am, you needn't worry. I won't tell a soul, and it looks as good as new, snyway.

Familiarity Breeds Contempt. Grandpa-Dun't get scared, Willy; the tiger is about to be fed; that's what makes him jump and roar so. Willy (easily)-Oh! I ain't afraid of him, grandpa; papa's the same way when his meals ain't ready.

Appreciative. Landlord-I am sorry, my man, but I shall have to raise your rent on

May 1.

Patrick-Shure, an' I'm much obliged. I was wonderin' how I could raise it meself by that tolme.-Judge,

A Hurried Farewell.

tion)-What time is it now, dear?

First Young Lady (at railroad sta-

Second Young Lady (looking at her

watch)-Mercy! We must begin say-

ing good-by, dear. The train will be driving his car more slowly than it here in half an hour .- N. Y. Weekly. Semething to Be Proud Of.

"I don't see why Brown is so proud

of his wife. There's nothing remarkable about her." "There isn't? Brown says she can beat anybody in the neighborhood nagging."-Detroit Free Press.

Something New. "Burglars broke into Green's dry goods store the other night and stole

three bolts of silk." "Well?" "Now he's advertising a great burglary sale,"-Detroit Free Press.

The Trouble.

"What's the matter with her? Can't she keep a beau?" "Oh, yes. The trouble is she can't find one who'll agree to keep her."-Detroit Free Press.

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